

Inland REOC Situation Report

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES, AUGUST 2014

AUGUST 06, 2014 – 1800 HOURS

Inland REOC:

The Inland REOC initially activated at 1600 hours on 07/31/14. We are monitoring fires affecting the following counties: Modoc, Siskiyou, Shasta, Lassen and Madera.

The Inland REOC re-activated to Level 2 at 2300 on 08/01/14 and continues Level 2 activation daily from 0800-2000hrs.

On 08/02/14, the Governor proclaimed a state of emergency for the following counties due to wildfires: Amador, Butte, El Dorado, Humboldt, Lassen, Madera, Mariposa, Mendocino, Modoc, Shasta and Siskiyou.

Summary Matrix

Inland Region at a Glance													
Page #	Incident Name	OA	Acreage (per CSWC SitRep 08-06-14 1000 hours)	Containment (per CSWC SitRep 08-06-14 1000 hours)	EOC Activated (Level 2 or above)	FMAG #	Local Proclamation	State Assistance Requests (excluding Missions)	Evacuations	Road Closures	Medical/Health Issues	Critical Infrastructure/Utility Issues	Active Mission Requests
3	Day Fire	Modoc	13,047 (+0)	75% (+10)	Yes	5070	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	0
4	Oregon Gulch Fire	Siskiyou	36,723 (+0) [9,464 in CA (+0)]	35% (+5)	Yes	5068	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	1
6	KNF Beaver Fire	Siskiyou	15,230 (+3,742)	5% (+3)	Yes		Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	0
8	Log Fire	Siskiyou	1,852 (+392)	8% (+8)	Yes		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	0
9	Little Deer Fire	Siskiyou	5,279 (+0)	77% (+17)	Yes		Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	0
10	July Complex	Siskiyou	6,273 (+866)	0% (+0)	Yes		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	0
12	Eiler Fire	Shasta	31,085 (+2,485)	35% (+15)	No	5067	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	2
14	Bald Fire	Lassen	39,926 (+76)	68% (+38)	Yes	5069	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	0
15	French Fire	Madera	13,835 (+118)	60% (+20)	No		No	No	Yes	No	No	No	0

Shelter Summary

Shelter Name	Location	Fires Supported	Open?	Comments
Jackson Street School	Yreka, Siskiyou OA	KNF Beaver July Complex	Y	
Scott Valley Junior High	Ft. Jones, Siskiyou OA	Log July Complex	N	Sign posted to call if services needed. Short response time for staff.
No Shelter Assigned	None	Day Oregon Gulch Little Deer Eiler Bald French		These fires do not have shelters assigned in support.

Day Fire – Modoc County

Event Summary

The Day Fire started near the community of Day in southwest Modoc County.

1) Activations

- Modoc County is activated at Level 2 from 0800 to 1700 hrs.

2) FMAG (if appropriate)

- An FMAG was approved by FEMA on 8/2/14. The FMAG number is 5070.

3) Proclamations

- Modoc County Sheriff proclaimed a local emergency on 08/01/14. BOS ratified the proclamation on 8/4/14, received in IREOC on 8/5/2014.
- Governor proclaimed a state of emergency on 08/02/14.

4) State Assistance Requests

- Proclamation is asking for CDAA.

5) Inland Region Deployment

- None

Critical Concerns

6) Access and Functional Needs

- We have verified with Red Cross and they are prepared to assist anyone who comes in with access and functional needs. All needs are being addressed at this time.

7) Critical Infrastructure (including Hospital and Medical Facilities)

- No issues reported.

Emergency Management

8) Evacuations

- None

9) Health and Medical

- None

10) Road Closures

- None reported.

11) Schools

- No issues reported.

12) Shelters

- None

13) Inland Region Missions

- None.

14) Utilities

- No issues reported.

Recovery

15) Initial Damage Estimates and Preliminary Damage Information

- None reported.

Oregon Gulch Fire (part of the Beaver Complex) – Siskiyou County

Event Summary

The Oregon Gulch Fire originated in the state of Oregon and crossed the border into California during the evening of July 31, 2014. It is threatening the community of Copco, Siskiyou County.

1) Activations

- Siskiyou County EOC is at Level 3 daily from 0700 to 1900 hours. Level 1 from 1900-0700.

2) FMAG (if appropriate)

- An FMAG has been approved by FEMA on 08/02/14. The FMAG number is 5068.

3) Proclamations

- Siskiyou County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14.
- Governor proclaimed a state of emergency on 08/02/14.

4) State Assistance Requests

- No assistance requests at this time.

5) Inland Region Deployment

- An Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator is working closely with Siskiyou OES.

Critical Concerns

6) Access and Functional Needs

- We have verified with Red Cross and they are prepared to assist anyone who comes in with access and functional needs.

7) Critical Infrastructure (including Hospital and Medical Facilities)

- Even though the fire threat has reduced, as of 08/06/14 there is still concern regarding Fall Creek which is the source of the City of Yreka's water supply. Cal Fire has this as a significant infrastructure item for their planning purposes.
 - a. City of Yreka has a contingency plan in place. There is a generator on site, with a second one available if needed. The City can also pump from wells if necessary.
 - b. Cal Fire has prepped the area around the water intake station to assist with defense.

Emergency Management

8) Evacuations

- None reported.

9) Health and Medical

- No issues reported

10) Road Closures

- No issues reported

11) Schools

- No issues reported.

12) Shelters

- None reported.

13) Inland Region Missions

- Mission #:2014-IREOC-4568
Requestor: Siskiyou County
Resource: Portable E-BAM PM2.5 Smoke Monitors (4)
Status: 2 units deployed by 8/4/2014, 2 to be deployed 8/5/2014

14) Utilities

- The fire is threatening 60 kV, 115 kV, and 230 kV power lines.
- According to CUEA representative, there is a PG&E substation that is threatened. Currently firefighters have a line around the substation which they feel will minimize the threat. PG&E technicians have checked the natural gas lines and they are deemed safe. As a contingency they have a low-boy generator that is located in Shasta County.
- PG&E Emergency Management is actively monitoring the situation throughout all of Northern California.
- Klamath River Hydro Project: Cal ISO tested the system and confirmed it had not lost capacity, and is stable. The lines are currently parallel to the fire, unaffected and operating normally. PG&E grid contingency plan is an alternate routing capability as is Cal ISO's contingency plan. If the system were to go off-line, there would be no impact to the grid. It is a small satellite generating station of 2.75 megawatts, which is tied to an auxiliary 60 KV system used as backup generation only to lower costs. It is a low-voltage, private plant under contract with PG&E.

Recovery

15) Initial Damage Estimates and Preliminary Damage Information

- None reported.

KNF Beaver Fire – Siskiyou County

Event Summary

The KNF Beaver Fire in the Klamath National Forest started 07/30/14 and is located off Beaver Creek Road, north of Highway 96 near the community of Klamath River.

1) Activations

- Siskiyou County EOC is at Level 3 daily from 0700 to 1900 hours. Level 1 from 1900-0700.

2) FMAG (if appropriate)

- None reported.

3) Proclamations

- Siskiyou County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14.
- Governor proclaimed a state of emergency on 08/02/14.

4) State Assistance Requests

- No assistance requests at this time.

5) Inland Region Deployment

- An Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator is working closely with Siskiyou OES.

Critical Concerns

6) Access and Functional Needs

- We have verified with Red Cross and they are prepared to assist anyone who comes in with access and functional needs.

7) Critical Infrastructure (including Hospital and Medical Facilities)

- No issues reported.

Emergency Management

8) Evacuations

- At approximately 2100 on 08/01/14, evacuation **advisory** notices were issued to the residents of Beaver Creek. Approximately 51 persons affected.
- Highway 96 in the Klamath area, including the community of Klamath. Evacuation advisories went out to approximately 50 homes.
- On 08/05/14 the evacuation **advisory** along Highway 96 expanded to include the area between Lumgreys Creek and Doggett Creek. This affects approximately an additional 20 homes.

9) Health and Medical

- No issues reported.

10) Road Closures

- Beaver Creek Road is closed to public access.

11) Schools

- No issues reported.

12) Shelters

- The Red Cross shelter at Jackson Street School, 405 Jackson St, Yreka, CA.
 - a. Small animals and livestock can be accommodated.
 - b. **This shelter supports multiple fires.**

13) Inland Region Missions

- Mission #:2014-IREOC-4568
Requestor: Siskiyou County
Resource: Portable E-BAM PM2.5 Smoke Monitors (4)
Status: 2 units deployed by 8/4/2014, 2 to be deployed 8/5/2014

14) Utilities

- No issues reported.

Recovery

15) Initial Damage Estimates and Preliminary Damage Information

- None reported.

Log Fire– Siskiyou County

Event Summary

This fire is in the Marble Mountains and is threatening Quartz Valley. This fire is no longer part of the July Complex and is now its own incident.

1) Activations

- Siskiyou County EOC is at Level 3 daily from 0700 to 1900 hours. Level 1 from 1900-0700.

2) FMAG (if appropriate)

- None reported.

3) Proclamations

- Siskiyou County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14.
- Governor proclaimed a state of emergency on 08/02/14.

4) State Assistance Requests

- None reported.

5) Inland Region Deployment

- An Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator is working closely with Siskiyou OES.

Critical Concerns

6) Access and Functional Needs

- No issues reported.

7) Critical Infrastructure (including Hospital and Medical Facilities)

- No issues reported.

Emergency Management

8) Evacuations

- The Quartz Valley area has been given an evacuation advisory. The number of affected residents is approximately 500 homes.

9) Health and Medical

- No issues reported.

10) Road Closures

- None reported.

11) Schools

- No issues reported.

12) Shelters

- A shelter has been established at Scott Valley Junior High, 237 Butte St, Fort Jones. **This shelter is not currently open.** A sign with Red Cross contact information is posted for residents to call if they need shelter.
 - a. **If opened, this shelter supports multiple fires.**

13) Inland Region Missions

- Mission #:2014-IREOC-4568
Requestor: Siskiyou County
Resource: Portable E-BAM PM2.5 Smoke Monitors (4)
Status: 2 units deployed by 8/4/2014, 2 to be deployed 8/5/2014

14) Utilities

- No issues reported.

Recovery

15) Initial Damage Estimates and Preliminary Damage Information

- None reported.

Little Deer Fire – Siskiyou County

Event Summary

This fire is burning in Siskiyou County.

1) Activations

- Siskiyou County EOC is at Level 3 daily from 0700 to 1900 hours. Level 1 from 1900-0700.

2) FMAG (if appropriate)

- None reported.

3) Proclamations

- Governor proclaimed a state of emergency on 08/02/14.

4) State Assistance Requests

- None reported.

5) Inland Region Deployment

- An Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator is working closely with Siskiyou OES.

Critical Concerns

6) Access and Functional Needs

- No issues reported.

7) Critical Infrastructure (including Hospital and Medical Facilities)

- No issues reported.

Emergency Management

8) Evacuations

- None

9) Health and Medical

- No issues reported.

10) Road Closures

- Highway 97 is open to all traffic in both directions; there is no escort vehicle.

11) Schools

- No issues reported.

12) Shelters

- None

13) Inland Region Missions

- Mission #:2014-IREOC-4568
Requestor: Siskiyou County
Resource: Portable E-BAM PM2.5 Smoke Monitors (4)
Status: 2 units deployed by 8/4/2014, 2 to be deployed 8/5/2014

14) Utilities

- No issues reported.

Recovery

15) Initial Damage Estimates and Preliminary Damage Information

- None reported.

July Complex Fire– Siskiyou County

Event Summary

The July Complex consists of the Whites fire; approximately 4 miles East of Sawyer Bar, and the Leef fire; approximately 7 miles Southwest of Callahan in Southwest Siskiyou County.

1) Activations

- Siskiyou County EOC is at Level 3 daily from 0700 to 1900 hours. Level 1 from 1900-0700.

2) FMAG (if appropriate)

- None reported.

3) Proclamations

- Siskiyou County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14.
- Governor proclaimed a state of emergency on 08/02/14.

4) State Assistance Requests

- None reported.

5) Inland Region Deployment

- An Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator is working closely with Siskiyou OES.

Critical Concerns

6) Access and Functional Needs

- No issues reported.

7) Critical Infrastructure (including Hospital and Medical Facilities)

- No issues reported.

Emergency Management

8) Evacuations

- The evacuation order for Music Creek, South Russian Creek and Rainbow Mine areas was made mandatory effective 1900 hours on 08/05/14. The number of affected residents is approximately 15 people.

9) Health and Medical

- No issues reported.

10) Road Closures

- None reported.

11) Schools

- No issues reported.

12) Shelters

- A shelter has been established at Scott Valley Junior High, 237 Butte St, Fort Jones. This shelter is not currently open. A sign with Red Cross contact information is posted for residents to call if they need shelter.
 - a. If opened, this shelter supports multiple fires.
- The Red Cross shelter at Jackson Street School, 405 Jackson St, Yreka, CA.
 - a. Small animals and livestock can be accommodated.
 - b. This shelter supports multiple fires.

13) Inland Region Missions

- Mission #:2014-IREOC-4568
Requestor: Siskiyou County
Resource: Portable E-BAM PM2.5 Smoke Monitors (4)
Status: 2 units deployed by 8/4/2014, 2 to be deployed 8/5/2014

14) Utilities

- No issues reported.

Recovery

15) Initial Damage Estimates and Preliminary Damage Information

- None reported.

Eiler Fire – Shasta County

Event Summary

The Eiler Fire in the Lassen National Forest started on 07/31/14 near Highway 89 in the Hat Creek area.

1) Activations

- Shasta County EOC is not activated.

2) FMAG (if appropriate)

- An FMAG has been approved by FEMA on 08/02/14. The FMAG number is 5067.

3) Proclamations

- The Director of Emergency Services for Shasta County has proclaimed a local emergency on August 2, 2014.
- Governor proclaimed a state of emergency on 08/02/14.

4) State Assistance Requests

- Proclamation is asking for CDAA.

5) Inland Region Deployment

- An Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator is deployed to Shasta County OES.

Critical Concerns

6) Access and Functional Needs

- We have verified with Red Cross and they are prepared to assist anyone who comes in with access and functional needs.

7) Critical Infrastructure (including Hospital and Medical Facilities)

- Mayers Hospital in Burney is a skilled nursing facility (associated with the hospital in Fall River Mills). They have 48 patients that were evacuated to Mercy Medical Center in Redding. As of 8/5/2014, the SNF has been advised that they can return to the facility in Burney.
- The Burney Water District is concerned about their water infrastructure being threatened by fire and has requested fire to protect their assets. This issue is now being handled at the local level.

Emergency Management

8) Evacuations

- None reported.

9) Health and Medical

- The Intermountain Disability Services, Adult and Senior Care facility in Burney, voluntarily evacuated.
- 1 foster family in Redding evacuated.
- 1 foster family in Burney on notice to evacuate.

10) Road Closures

- All road closures have been lifted.

11) Schools

- No issues reported.

12) Shelters

- None reported.

13) Inland Region Missions

- Mission #: 2014-SOC-4512
Requestor: Shasta County
Resource: MIGU to McArthur.
Status: Telecommunications confirms it is on scene.
- Mission #: 2014-IREOC-4578
Requestor: Shasta County
Resource: Portable E-BAM PM2.5 Smoke Monitors (3)
Status: Deployed 8/4/2014 (Lakehead, Burney, and Fall River)

14) Utilities

- No issues reported.

Recovery

15) Initial Damage Estimates and Preliminary Damage Information

- None reported.

Bald Fire – Lassen County

Event Summary

The Bald Fire in the Lassen National Forest is burning near Bald Mountain, southeast of Fall River Mills

1) Activations

- Lassen County EOC is at Level 1.

2) FMAG (if appropriate)

- An FMAG was approved by FEMA 8/2/14. The FMAG number is 5069.

3) Proclamations

- Lassen County has proclaimed a local emergency; however paperwork has not yet been submitted.
- Governor proclaimed a state of emergency on 08/02/14.

4) State Assistance Requests

- None reported.

5) Inland Region Deployment

- An Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator is deployed to Shasta County OES.

Critical Concerns

6) Access and Functional Needs

- We have verified with Red Cross and they are prepared to assist anyone who comes in with access and functional needs.

7) Critical Infrastructure (including Hospital and Medical Facilities)

- No issues reported.

Emergency Management

8) Evacuations

- None reported.

9) Health and Medical

- No issues reported

10) Road Closures

- None reported.

11) Schools

- No issues reported.

12) Shelters

- None reported.

13) Inland Region Missions

- None.

14) Utilities

- The fire is threatening a PG&E hydroelectric generating station and 60kV power lines.

Recovery

15) Initial Damage Estimates and Preliminary Damage Information

- None reported.

French Fire – Madera County

Event Summary

This fire in the Sierra National Forest started on July 28, 2014 and is threatening the community of Arnold Meadows.

1) Activations

- Madera County EOC is at Level 1.

2) FMAG (if appropriate)

- None reported.

3) Proclamations

- Governor proclaimed a state of emergency on 08/02/14.

4) State Assistance Requests

- None reported.

5) Inland Region Deployment

- No deployments at this time.

Critical Concerns

6) Access and Functional Needs

- No issues reported.

7) Critical Infrastructure (including Hospital and Medical Facilities)

- No issues reported.

Emergency Management

8) Evacuations

- None reported.

9) Health and Medical

- No issues reported.

10) Road Closures

- Minarets Road at Redinger Overlook
- USFS Road 8S09 at Cascadel Road

11) Schools

- No issues reported.

12) Shelters

- None

13) Inland Region Missions

- None.

14) Utilities

- No issues reported.

Recovery

15) Initial Damage Estimates and Preliminary Damage Information

- None reported.